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Thanksgiving is the unofficial holiday of the sport of football, and most years in New England we have a pretty good gauge of how good the Patriots are going to be down the stretch of the season. This is not one of those years. I could easily see the Patriots making it to the Super Bowl in Atlanta, just as easily as I could see them having to play in a wild card game in January and losing. The Patriots have not even had to play a wild card game in the playoffs since 2009. In today's Metro we touch on several things the Pats need to improve on drastically to avoid having to play in the first round of the postseason.

SCOTT WINS US SENATE SEAT AFTER RECOUNT

Florida's outgoing governor, Republican Rick Scott, was declared the winner of the state's hard-fought U.S. Senate race on Sunday, following a recount of ballots in the tight contest against three-term Democratic incumbent Bill Nelson. In the recount of the Nov. 6 election, Scott won by 10,033 votes out of 8.19 million cast statewide, Florida elections officials said on Sunday. Scott took 50.05 percent, compared with 49.93 percent for Nelson, the officials added. Nelson, first elected to the Senate in 2000, became the latest incumbent

Democratic senator toppled in the midterm congressional election in which President Donald Trump's fellow Republicans expanded their majority in the Senate but lost control of the House of Representatives. Scott, who was prevented by state law from running for a third term as governor, emerged from the Nov. 6 vote with a lead of less than 0.5 percentage points, which prompted a recount of the ballots. Republicans including Trump made allegations, without offering evidence, that the process was marred by fraud.

BROWNS: WE HAVE NOT DISCUSSED CONDI FOR HC

Cleveland Browns general manager John Dorsey denied the team has discussed interviewing former Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice for the Browns' head coaching job on Sunday. Dorsey issued the statement after a report from ESPN's Adam Scheffer said the team was hoping to interview Rice. "Former Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice is a great leader, possesses the highest possible character and also happens to be a Browns fan," Dorsey said. "I have the utmost respect and admiration for all she's

accomplished and was honored to meet her for the first time earlier this season. Our coaching search will be thorough and deliberate, but we are still in the process of composing the list of candidates and Secretary Rice has not been discussed." Rice is a longtime fan of the Browns. She joined owners Dee and Jimmy Haslam on the field in Oakland on Sept. 30 when the Browns were in town to play the Raiders. If the team were to interview Rice, it would make her the first woman ever interviewed for a head-coaching job by an NFL team.

ANTI-IMMIGRANT ACTIVISTS RALLY AT US-MEXICO BORDER

An anti-immigrant protester shouts before marching with fellow demonstrators on an immigrant shelter on Sunday in Tijuana. Several hundred Mexican demonstrators marched to the shelter near the U.S.-Mexico border, demanding that members of the migrant caravan, most from Honduras, leave the country. Immigrants have been arriving to the shelter after traveling thousands of miles from Central America.



BLAME PASSED OVER PASSED GAS AT DARTS GRAND SLAM

Players set more than just their arrows flying at the Grand Slam of Darts this week, with opponents rowing over who had emitted noxious smells during their match, media reported on Saturday. Twice world champion Scotsman Gary Anderson, 47, won Friday's match 10-2 to reach the quarterfinals but his Dutch opponent Wesley Harms, 34, said he was affected by the "fragrant smell" Anderson had left as they played. "It'll take me two nights to lose this smell from my nose," Harms told Dutch television station RTL7L. However, world No. 4 Anderson said the

smell had come "from the table side" at the Aldersley Leisure Village venue, in the English Midlands town of Wolverhampton, suggesting it was from the crowd. "If the boy thinks I've farted he's 1,010 percent wrong. I had a bad stomach once onstage before and admitted it. So I'm not going to lie about farting on stage," he was quoted as saying by the BBC. "Every time I walked past there was a waft of rotten eggs so that's why I was thinking it was him. It was bad. It was a stink, then he started to play better and I thought he must have needed to get some wind out."

TRUMP WON'T LISTEN TO 'VICIOUS' KHASHOGGI TAPE

President Donald Trump said he does not want to listen to an audio recording of the murder of Saudi journalist Jamal Khashoggi despite facing mounting pressure to punish Saudi Arabia for the killing. Khashoggi was killed inside the Saudi consulate in Istanbul on Oct. 2, and Turkey has given the U.S. government a recording of the murder, but Trump said he would not listen to it "because it's a suffering tape, it's a terrible tape. I don't want to hear the tape, no reason for me to hear the tape," Trump said in an interview with

"Fox News Sunday." "I know everything that went on in the tape without having to hear it. It was very violent, very vicious and terrible." Trump also said he wants to maintain a close alliance with Saudi Arabia despite Khashoggi's death and questioned the alleged role of Saudi Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman, who is known as MbS and is the kingdom's de facto ruler. "He told me that he had nothing to do with it," Trump said, adding that "many people" also said the crown prince had no knowledge of the killing.

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BCH gets \$14.7M from NFL to study concussions, CTE treatments

Potential treatments and preventions for CTE will be part of a five-year project.

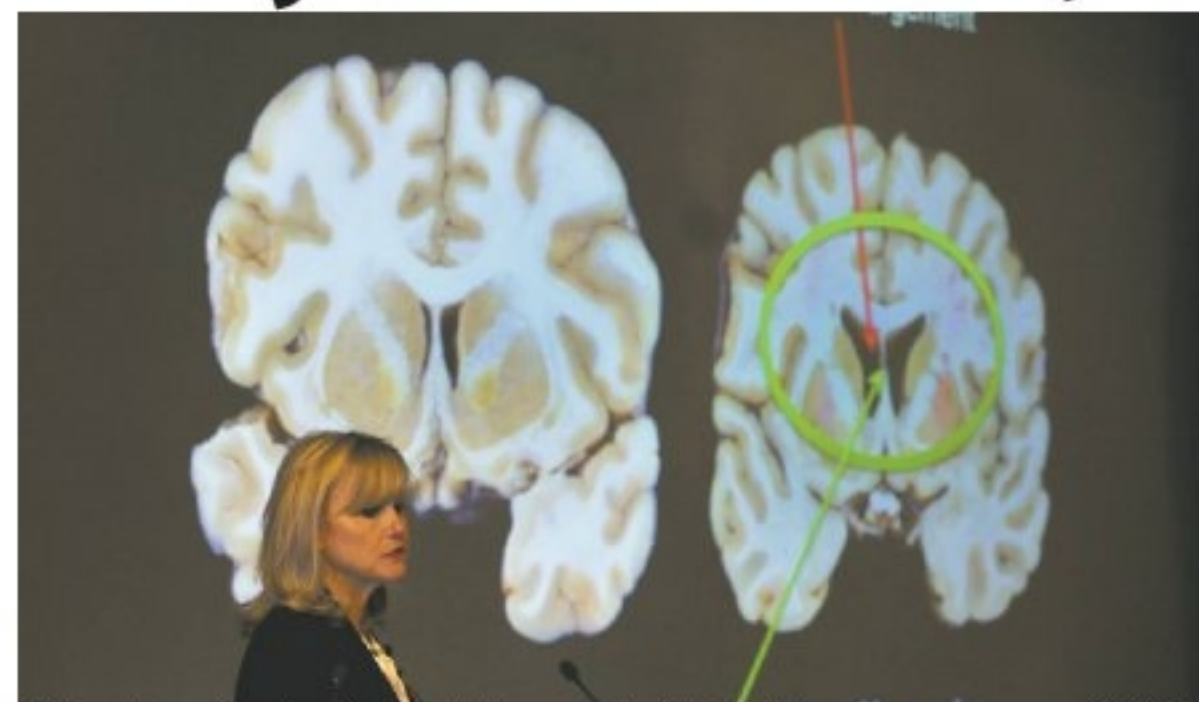


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Boston Children's Hospital has received a \$14.7 million grant from the NFL to study former players in the search for answers about concussions and CTE.

Boston-area researchers have led the way in research about chronic traumatic encephalopathy (CTE), the degenerative brain disease that causes memory loss, aggression, confusion and more.

But there's still a lot of unknowns about CTE and the long-term health consequences of concussions



A BU researcher confirms Aaron Hernandez's brain was severely afflicted by CTE.

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and sub-concussive injuries (hits to the head that are below the threshold of an actual concussion).

Boston Children's Hospital hopes to find those answers, as well as look at potential CTE treatments and preventions, in a five-year project.

"There is a pressing

need for data-driven approaches to better understand the risk, incidence, characteristics, progression, and treatment of neurologic health problems faced by former NFL players," said William Meehan, M.D., of Boston Children's Hospital Orthopedics and Sports

Medicine Center, in a statement. "A data-driven approach is also needed to determine the potential effects of sport-related concussions and sub-concussive blows — including the potential for CTE."

Meehan is the study's principal investigator and will lead the Boston Chil-

"This new study is part of a continued effort to improve player safety."

William Meehan, M.D., Boston Children's Hospital Orthopedics and Sports Medicine Center

dren's Hospital research team, in collaboration with Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, the Medical College of Wisconsin and University Orthopedic Center in State College, Pennsylvania.

The study will track former NFL players, including up to 2,500 of them who were previously surveyed in 2001, for annual health assessments. By combining re-

sults with that earlier survey, the Boston Children's Hospital project will "give a prospective view of health outcomes over a 20-year span."

While these NFL players are evaluated, Boston Children's Hospital researchers will also conduct "preclinical laboratory studies," investigating potential therapies to prevent and slow the progression of neurological health issues, including CTE.

Researchers will then turn the most effective therapies into clinical intervention studies for at-risk former players.

This NFL-funded study will continue on the work Boston Children's Hospital has already done. Researchers there have been looking into the effects of sport-related concussions and sub-concussive hits on neurological health for over a decade, according to the institution.

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Recreational marijuana sales to start Tuesday

The Cannabis Control Commission finally announces that recreational marijuana sales are a go.



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Recreational marijuana sales will begin in Massachusetts on Tuesday, according to the state's Cannabis Control Commission.

Massachusetts voters approved legal recreational marijuana in November 2016. It became legal to grow, possess and use marijuana that December, and pot shops were set to open July 1, 2018. That highly-anticipated milestone was pushed back as state legislators needed to issue licenses to independent testing laboratories as well as businesses.

But now, people will finally be able to walk into two fully-licensed



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Massachusetts pot shops to purchase marijuana after the Cannabis Control Commission on Friday authorized the retail establishments to start recreational marijuana sales in three full calendar days. The first sales are expected on Tuesday.

"Upon issuing notices today for two retail marijuana establishments to commence adult-use operations in Massachu-

setts," the Cannabis Control Commission said in a release on Friday, the state is urging adults to be aware of the law and to "consume responsibly."

"This signal to open retail marijuana establishments marks a major milestone for voters who approved legal, adult-use cannabis in our state," Commission Chairman Steven J. Hoffman said in a statement. "To get here,

licensees underwent thorough background checks, passed multiple inspections, and had their products tested, all to ensure public health and safety as this new industry gets up and running. As patrons look forward to visiting Massachusetts stores, we hope they will do their part by first familiarizing themselves with the law and understanding what is required of responsible

consumers."

People can visit MoreAboutMJ.org to learn about the effects of marijuana and the state's recreational marijuana law, according to the Cannabis

1764 Main St. in Leicester and New England Treatment Access (NETA) at 118 Conz St. in Northampton.

These pot shops are separate from the medical marijuana dispensa-

"To get here, licensees underwent thorough background checks, passed multiple inspections, and had their products tested, all to ensure public health and safety."

Steven J. Hoffman, commission chairman

Control Commission.

While you can soon purchase recreational marijuana in the state, you cannot use marijuana while operating a vehicle, have an "open container" of marijuana or marijuana products in your car (as with alcohol), consume or smoke marijuana in a public place or purchase more than one ounce of recreational marijuana (or five grams of marijuana concentrate) at a time.

The two fully-licensed recreational marijuana shops in Massachusetts are Cultivate Holdings at

ries throughout the state.

NETA will begin recreational marijuana sales on Tuesday, a rep told WBUR. That shop opens at 8 a.m. It is not immediately clear when Cultivate Holdings will begin recreational marijuana sales, but they can start on Tuesday at the earliest, and that facility opens at 10 a.m.

It's also not clear how long these shops will be the only two recreational marijuana retail spots in the state. Fifty-five businesses have submitted applications to the Cannabis Control Commission.

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What are the best companies to work for in the US?

Zippia's annual "Best Companies to Work For" list is out, and it may surprise you!



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Every year, the popular job search site Zippia releases its comprehensive list of the 100 "Best Companies to Work for in America." Many of the usual suspects are included in this year's list. But, the companies that top the list for 2018 may not be the ones you would guess.

So what goes into the decision-making process in choosing these companies? Well, unlike most job-search sites that may have outside influences that weigh into their rankings, that charge companies to be considered or use employee ratings, Zippia looks at the facts to stay as objective as possible.

"The way that we kind of approached our company rankings was with the same sort of mindset of want-

Zippia's 2018 Top 10 "Best Companies to Work for in America"

1. Baker McKenzie
2. Chevron
3. American Honda Motor
4. Exxon Mobil
5. Maersk Line
6. BP America, Inc.
7. Eli Lilly and Company
8. Frontier Communications
9. AbbVie
10. Twitter

ing to provide a data-driven list that would be objective rather than something based on employer reviews that would be subjective," explained Drew Walters, a marketing strategist with Zippia. "We tried to figure out some of the shortcomings that some of these lists usually have."

By taking this approach, Zippia uses three different characteristics to rank each company. The first is overall financial health. This comes from a calculation of

the company's overall revenue stream and the total number of years it has been around, so that they can gauge a sense of its overall stability. The second factor is how competitive each salary is for every position. The last factor is the overall diversity of the company. For this, Zippia not only looks into the gender and ethnic diversity of a company, but also the difference in educational backgrounds and the diversity of political opinions and contributions a company has made in the past.

With all of these different factors, the final list not only includes some big names like Twitter and Exxon Mobil but some lesser-known names like Baker McKenzie and Maersk Line. Walters believes that by taking such an objective approach, Zippia was able to look past the name recognition of some of these larger companies to inform job-seekers of some other truly great places to work.

"Obviously, you are

going to see a lot of brand names and well-recognized names on the list," says Walters. "But, the whole goal is to hopefully give job-seekers a list of the best companies objectively. Maybe give some exposure to some companies that are really great places to work, that they have never heard of before."

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LIFESTYLE

Mark Wahlberg acts his age

"I'm embracing getting older."



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After teaming up for box office hits "Daddy's Home" and "Daddy's Home 2," Mark Wahlberg and director Sean Anders hope to make it a threepeat of cinema successes with their latest comedy "Instant Family."

The duo has clearly become fond of each other after working on three flicks together, which made us wonder whether they had any future collaborations in store. Perhaps a "Daddy's Home 3"?

During Anders' recent trip to Boston for the "Instant Family" press tour, the director told Metro that, although there aren't any firm plans in



Wahlberg snapped a selfie with Selfie Kid at last week's red carpet event for "Instant Family." ALL PHOTOS ARAM BOGHOSIAN

"I just got an offer to play a 24-year-old. I was like, 'That's a bit of a stretch.' I appreciate it. It was flattering. But I like to embrace my old age. I age gracefully."

Mark Wahlberg

place, he does have a fun idea for a "Daddy's Home 3" should it happen down the road.

"As far as 'Daddy's Home 3' goes, I don't know if that's in the cards

or not," Anders said. "We were sort of joking about that maybe the way to do that is 20 years in the future when Mark and Will [Ferrell] are old men, to do a kind of grumpy old men

reunion when one of the kids is getting married or something."

While Wahlberg was in Boston last week for a red-carpet screening of "Instant Family", he seemed fond of Anders' idea for a "Daddy's Home 3", although he also didn't have an update on a possible sequel. The idea of playing a grandpa on screen at some point did intrigue him, though.

"I haven't thought

about that, but would love to be able to at some point play a grandfather," Wahlberg said. "I'm embracing getting older. I don't mind playing dad."

"I just got an offer to play a 24-year-old. I was like, 'That's a bit of a stretch,'" he added. "I appreciate it. It was flattering. But I like to embrace my old age. I age gracefully."

When it comes to working with Anders, Wahlberg praised the director for his willingness to collaborate and for running a "smooth" ship on his sets.

"He's always open to suggestions and a little bit of help throughout the development process, so I absolutely love the guy," Wahlberg said. "It's nice to see a guy who knows

what he wants and how to get it."

"I know by the time we're at the starting line and we're actually shooting the movie in principal photography, I'm just kind of doing my job as an actor," he added. "I don't have to worry about there being any fires to put out. It's pretty smooth because Sean's got it all under control."

Seeing as how Wahlberg jumped at the chance to star in "Instant Family" without even seeing a script, it's safe to say that the actor would be very willing to work with Anders again. And the feeling is mutual.

"I would love to work with him again," Anders said.

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FUN THINGS TO DO THIS WEEK

If you're looking to have some fun before feasting all-day long on Thanksgiving, we've got you covered. Here are the best things to do in Boston this week.

Holiday Trellis Lighting

See Christopher Columbus Park light up for the holiday season on Monday night. Mayor Marty Walsh will appear at the annual lighting, which features 50,000 blue lights adorning the 260 feet of trellis as well as 14 decorated trees. The festivities will also feature live music, refreshments, giveaways and more.

Nov. 19, 5 p.m., Christopher Columbus Park, 110 Atlantic Ave., free, boston.gov

Boston Jewish Film Festival

The Boston Jewish Film Festival wraps up on Monday night with a special screening of "Redemption" at the Somerville Theatre. Directed by Joseph Madmony and Boaz Yehonatan Yacov, the film revolves around a lead singer of a popular rock band who leaves everything behind to pursue a religious path.

Nov. 19, 7 p.m., Somerville Theatre, 55 Davis Sq., Somerville, \$36, bostonjfilm.org



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Pauly D

Oh yeah! It's T-shirt time at The Grand this week, as "Jersey Shore" star Pauly D will be spinning the decks at the Boston nightclub. Party with the Providence native when takes over the venue on Monday night.

Nov. 19, 10 p.m., The Grand, 58 Seaport Blvd., Suite 300, \$40+, thegrandboston.com

Fatman Scoop

Hip-hop hype man Fatman Scoop is coming to Boston this week. The famed promoter and personality will take over City Winery on Tuesday night.

Nov. 20, 8 p.m., City Winery, 80 Beverly St., \$25, citywinery.com

Friendsgiving at Coppersmith

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Thanksgiving celebration and feast with friends on Wednesday night. Coppersmith is getting in the holiday spirit with a Friendsgiving party. The feast will include Thanksgiving-inspired bites such as turkey and brie hand pies with a cranberry aioli, as well as the restaurant's full Thanksgiving menu a la carte. Make sure to make a reservation if you want to snag a table. Nov. 21, 5 p.m.-10 p.m., Coppersmith, 40 W 3rd St., coppersmithboston.com

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Michael Peña says 'Narcos: Mexico' is 'more ambitious' than 'The Wire'

The actor also opens up about doing right by his character, who is based on a real DEA agent.



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Whether made by esteemed television critics or cultural historians digging into the parallels between storytelling mediums, David Simon's breathtaking HBO series "The Wire" is often described as a novel in television form. That is to say, its seasons may consist of 20 or more individual episodes, but the story they tell is far more serialized than it is episodic.

Another crime series, Netflix's "Narcos," has operated in a similar fashion

for three seasons and, with "Narcos: Mexico," is sticking to the formula. But according to actor Michael Peña, who plays DEA Agent Enrique "Kiki" Camarena in the show's Mexico-centric "reboot" of sorts, what they're doing is "more ambitious" than what came before it.

"For my money, the first three seasons of 'Narcos' were crazier," he tells Metro. "It's based on true stories, so that added a whole other element to this. I like 'The Wire,' for sure, but this is a more ambitious take on television."

Before diehard Simon devotees get up in arms about Peña's comments, however, consider the fact that serialized television since "The Wire" has progressed and regressed in waves. What's more, with the benefit of streaming's ability to cater to binge-

watchers, this means that shows like "Narcos: Mexico" can, in fact, do things that broadcast or cable programs before it were never able to accomplish.

There are several recent book series, like Suzanne Collins's "The Hunger Games" and Stieg Larsson's "The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo," that serve as great models for what "Narcos" and "Narcos: Mexico" are trying to do. Of course, Peña acknowledges that those two examples were turned into movies instead of television, but that doesn't mean it can't work here.

"It's like one story and they're really writing more like a novel than your standard procedural," he explains. "And I think they're so binge-watchable because of this, because they're so in-depth with the charac-

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"Narcos" heads to Mexico for its new season. CARLOS SOMONTE/NETFLIX

ters and certain parts of the story. I think it would be a good movie, but now with the way television is going, they can really dive in with it. They got their finger on the pulse of the viewers."

In particular, Peña says he was drawn to "Narcos: Mexico" because of what this storytelling approach did for his character, Camarena, and his adversary Miguel Ángel Félix Gallardo, the real-life corrupt cop turned drug kingpin played by

Diego Luna.

"He was a guy who didn't appreciate crime. Crime was basically stealing from, or taking advantage of, good people, so he had a resentment about that that made him more driven," he says of his character, whom he spent a great deal of time researching before filming. "If you read that part, you can play him a very saintly or righteous kind of way, but I always think you should be more specific with it."

"You're not exactly worried about being like with a character like this, or a story like this," Peña adds. "It's the exact opposite of Luis in 'Ant-Man and the Wasp,' who wants to be liked and is always trying to fit in. With this guy, his mantra was, 'I don't care if you like me or not, but eventually you're going to respect me.' And I think that's how he lived his life."

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The Inside Story on Great Sex!

This week I got a letter from a reader about a "little secret" that has made her sex life with her husband absolutely explosive! (Those Texas women are spicy!)

Tina writes:

Dear Karen,

For years my husband and I had a great love life. He was sexy and passionate and so confident. But when he reached his 50s, he started to struggle with getting and keeping an erection. The few times we did have sex, his erection was definitely softer, leaving us both unsatisfied. He tried every American product out there; prescriptions, creams, testosterone, enhancement pills... but nothing worked. I know this is terrible, but I found myself thinking "My strong, passionate husband has become a sexual weakling." I had no idea it would all turn around in just 3 weeks!

Last month, he came home from a business trip in Europe and shocked me with more sexual energy and passion than he's had in years. Hard as a rock, he tossed me around the bedroom like we were newlyweds' and gave me a night I'll never forget! It was incredible - and so exciting!

He flat wore me out that night and it's been like that ever since. His erections are harder than ever, and the best part is his climax is so long and powerful, they spark the most intense, toe-curling 'moments' I've ever had! So here we are, enjoying the best sex of our lives... in our late 50's!

When I asked my husband what caused such a dramatic change, he said on his trip he stayed in a hotel room next to an Italian nutritionist and his wife. Through the walls, he heard them passionately making love every single night, and sometimes again in the morning. One afternoon, he saw the husband leave their room and he couldn't believe it. The man looked much too old to be having so much sex.

My husband couldn't help himself, so he asked the man his secret. The nutritionist smiled, introduced himself as Vito, and told my husband he was 78 years old, his wife 65, and that after 32 years of marriage, their sex life was better than ever. Then he took a small pack from his satchel, gave it to my husband, and said "Unlike the weak, watered down products you have in America, "These tablets come from a small village near the sea, where they're cultivated organically from the most potent sexual extracts on earth. Believe me, they will give you a strong desire for sex, powerful erections, and a climax like you've never felt before! Then he laughed and said "You'll become an Italian Stallion" like me!

Italian Stallion is right! These past several weeks have been a dream. My husband's desire for me is through the roof. He takes me whenever he wants, and he even wakes up most days with a 'morning salute!' like he did years ago. I love it! He's a sexual powerhouse, beaming with confidence, and our marriage is stronger than ever.

Karen, here's why I'm writing you. The pack of tablets is about to run out and we both desperately want more. I've looked everywhere but can't find them. Do you know anything about these "super-sex tablets" from Europe and how to get some here in the States?

Sincerely,
Tina C.,
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They do have a distributor here in the U.S. and a spokesman told me they were proud to produce the highest quality product for men and couples. He went on to offer that if any of my readers call today and mention this article, they'll get a one-time 55% discount, PLUS an additional pack of 30 tablets completely free, AND it will be shipped today!

So there you go, Tina - and the rest of you readers! Use the VIP hotline he gave me so you can be on and off in 3 minutes or less. This offer is only good while supplies last so just give them a call today and mention this article. The number is 1-800-736-2096.

Aren't you glad you asked?

Karen

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A bad loss to the Tennessee Titans has left a bad taste in the mouth of most Patriots fans. With a bye week during Week 11, the Pats were afforded some time to figure things out. GETTY IMAGES

3 Things Patriots must improve on

The Pats still have work to do during their bye week.



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After cruising to six straight victories heading to Tennessee in Week 10, the Patriots were dominated in a fashion we hadn't seen in the Brady-Belichick era. The 34-10 loss marked the largest margin of victory for a Patriots opponent this deep into the season since the year 2000.

With a record of 7-3, what do the Patriots need to improve on when they come out of the bye?

SPREADING THE BALL AROUND

Tom Brady looked uncomfortable as ever trying to navigate a stout Titans defense, and it left him with tunnel vision towards his top two targets. Julian Edelman and Josh Gordon both saw 12 targets each, while the remaining wide receivers on the roster combined for three total targets.

While Edelman produced a solid game, securing nine of those targets for 104 yards, Gordon was only able to bring in four receptions. Brady

seemed to be forcing it to Gordon down the field. While these issues came to a head in Tennessee, the targets in the passing game have been tending in this direction with Rob Gronkowski out of the lineup. In the victory over the Packers, Brady looked for Edelman and Gordon a combined 19 times, throwing to his other receivers just six times.

FINDING THEIR STRIDE ON THE ROAD

While everything looks good on the surface, the Patriots home/road splits bring up big issues with this team. The Pats are 5-0 at home this season, scoring 35.4 points on average. Those numbers drop to a 2-3 record on the road, with a mere 20.6 points per game.

If the offense can't figure out how to make up that 15-point differential it currently puts itself in on the road, these struggles are going to continue. Part of that could be Brady's willingness to spread the targets around more evenly and the rest could be due to missing the biggest part of the offense.

GETTING GRONK HEALTHY

Gronk's played in just

seven of the 10 games so far this season, but he hasn't quite been himself. The tight end has played in double-digit games in six seasons during his career, catching an average of 11.5 touchdowns in those seasons. If Gronk can finish the season healthy out of the bye, that would put him on pace to suit up for 13 games this season, yet he only has one trip to the end zone in 2018. Even more concerning is that the score came all the way back in Week 1, when he posted his lone signature, Gronk-type stat line, catching seven passes for 123 yards.

Since that time, Gronk has yet to reach 100 yards or catch more than six passes in any individual game. The Patriots are going to need far more than the 29-448-1 line they got from Gronk in the first seven games of the season to round out the regular season, as they come out of the bye playing three of their next four games on the road. If they're not able to dominate in the form we've become accustomed to, they may not only finish behind the Chiefs for home field in the AFC, but the Patriots could find themselves without a first-round bye.

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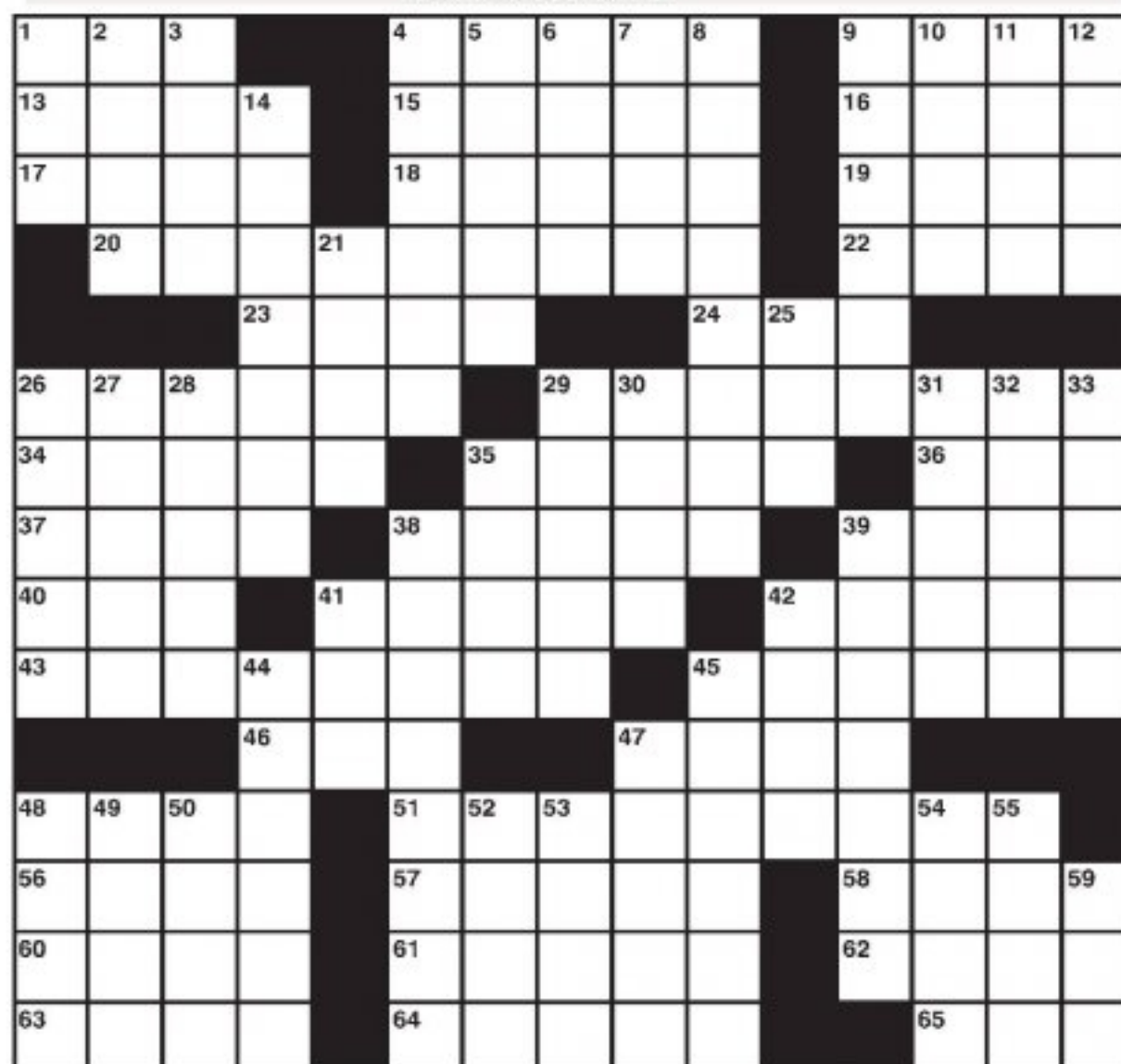
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- Taurus** Reconnect with people you have worked with in the past to gain some information that could help you advance. Prospects will vary depending on how you respond. Use your imagination.
- Gemini** Don't reveal information that someone asked you to keep secret. It's important to show that you can be trusted if you want the same respect in return. Meddling will backfire.
- Cancer** Keep busy. Fitness and a healthy lifestyle will be important when it comes to maintaining endurance and stamina. Don't let an emotional situation affect your work or relationships with others.
- Leo** A change will do you good, but before you leap into something new, do your due diligence and find out what it costs and what's expected of you.
- Virgo** Problems with partnerships will mount if you are too trusting or let someone take care of matters that you should handle yourself. Practicality and hard work will be essential.

- Libra** Discuss problems openly. If you let situations fester, you will end up making matters worse. Use your charm and kind gestures to avert a dispute. Patience will be required.
- Scorpio** A creative project should be considered carefully. Weigh the cost involved and whether it's feasible. Someone will mislead you in order to get his or her way.
- Sagittarius** Expect to face opposition if you try to make an unpopular change. You are best off taking care of every detail before you present your intentions to others.
- Capricorn** Ease into your day. Don't let an emotional incident throw you off course. Avoid acting in haste or taking on responsibilities that don't belong to you. Stick to your agenda.
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